BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of)	
Dale Schultz; Dale Schultz for Congress)	MUR 5426
and Joseph J. Hasler, in his official)	
capacity as treasurer; Friends and)	
Neighbors of Dale Schultz and Dennis)	
Hamilton, in his official capacity as)	
treasurer)	

CERTIFICATION

I, Mary W. Dove, Secretary of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on February 15, 2005, the Commission decided by a vote of 5-0 to take the following actions in MUR 5426:

- 1. Find reason to believe that Dale Schultz violated 2 U.S.C. § 441i(e)(1)(A) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d).
- 2. Find reason to believe that Friends and Neighbors of Dale Schultz and Dennis Hamilton, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441i(e)(1)(A) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d).
- 3. Find reason to believe that Dale Schultz for Congress and Joseph J. Hasler, in his official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 441i(e)(1)(A) and 11 C.F.R. § 110.3(d).
- 4. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated February 10, 2005.
- 5. Enter into conciliation with Dale Schultz, Friends and Neighbors of Dale Schultz and Dennis Hamilton, in his official capacity as treasurer, and Dale Schultz for Congress and Joseph J. Hasler, in his official capacity as treasurer, prior to a finding of probable cause to believe.

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- 6. Approve the Conciliation Agreement, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated February 10, 2005.
- 7. Approve the appropriate letter, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated February 10, 2005.

Commissioners Mason, McDonald, Smith, Thomas, and Toner voted affirmatively for the decision. Commissioner Weintraub did not vote.

Attest:

Secretary of the Commission